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E.O. 11652: ADS DECLAS UPON GRANT APPROVAL

TAGS: OEXC, SN (KWA SOON BEE)

SUBJECT: NOMINATION OF PRINCIPAL IV CANDIDATE, PART I

REF: A) DEPT. A-8585

B) SINGAPORE COUNTRY PLAN PROPOSAL, FM-41, MAY 9, 1973

1. KWA SOON BEE, (SURNAME KWA)

IHWM PRESENT: MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT, OUTRAM ROAD
GENERAL HOSPITAL. PAST: MEDICAL OFFICER-IN-CHARGE,
SINGAPORE BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE.

3. SEPTEMBER 5, 1930. SINGAPORE CITIZEN.

4. TO U.S.: NO. IN U.K. 1962 FOR GRADUATE STUDIES.

5. NONE.

6. NO/NO

7. ELIGIBLE.

8. RECOMMENDED BY GOS AND FAVORABLY REGARDED BY POST.

DR. KWA' INFLUENCE TRANSCENDS HIS ROLE AS
ADMINISTRATOR OF LARGEST HOSPITAL IN SINGAPORE.
AS SECRETARY OF PRESTIGIOUS PYRAMID CLUB AND BROTHER-
IN-LAW OF PRIME MINISTER, HE IS EXPECTED TAKE INCREAS-
INGLY ACTIVE ROLE IN GOVERNMENT AND COMMUNITY LIFE.
HE CURRENTLY CHIEF OF HOSPITAL PLAFIING AND THUS RESPONSIBLE

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FOR LARGE SCALE PROCUREMENT HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT. THUS,

GRANT ALSO COULD HAVE CONSIDERABLE COMMERCIAL BENEFIT.

9. SUPPORTS CP OBJECTIVE I, PROJECT A: PERCEPTIONS.

10. POST HAS SET CUT-OFF DATE OF APRIL 15, BEFORE
WHICH CANDIDATE MUST COMMENCE TRAVEL.
GRANT

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